



May 17, 2005

South Carolina Public Service Commission Saluda Building 101 Executive Center Drive, Suite 100 Columbia, South Carolina 29210



Re:

Filing of Certificate of Authority issued by the South Carolina Secretary of State

to SBC Long Distance, LLC

Commission Order in Case No. 2004-359-C

Dear Sir or Madam:

On May 5, 2005, a letter was filed with the Commission by our counsel, Eric Fishman of Holland & Knight LLP, advising the Commission that the corporate reorganization described in the letters to the Commission dated December 18, 2004 and February 14, 2005 in Case No. 2004-359-C involving SBC Long Distance, Inc had been completed. As a part of this corporate reorganization, SBC Long Distance converted from a corporation to a limited liability company.

In the May 5th letter, we informed the Commission that SBC Long Distance had filed to revise its certificate to transact business in the State of South Carolina to reflect its conversion to a limited liability company, and that SBC Long Distance would provide the Commission with a copy of its amended certificate of authority upon its issuance by the South Carolina Secretary of State.

Enclosed is a copy of the Certificate of Authority issued to SBC Long Distance, LLC by the South Carolina Secretary of State.

As previously requested in the May 5<sup>th</sup> letter, SBC Long Distance respectfully requests the Commission to issue revised certificates of authority in the name of SBC Long Distance, LLC d/b/a SBC Long Distance, to the extent such action is required, to reflect this legal name change.

Should the Commission have any questions regarding this matter, please feel free to contact me directly.

Sincerely,

Norman W. Descoteaux

Associate Director - Regulatory

Tel: (925) 468-6209

Attachments Certificate of Authority

### STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA **SECRETARY OF STATE**

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### APPLICATION FOR A CERTIFICATE OF AUTHORITY BY A FOREIGN LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY TO TRANSACT BUSINESS IN SOUTH CAROLINA

SECRETARY OF STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

#### TYPE OR PRINT CLEARLY WITH BLACK INK

The following Foreign Limited Liability Company applies for a Certificate of Authority to Transact Business in South Carolina in accordance with Section 33-44-1002 of the 1976 South Carolina Code of Laws, as amended.

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FILED: 05/09/2005 050509-0147 SBC LONG DISTANCE, LLC

South Carolina Secretary of State

7.	[ <b>x</b> ]	Check this box if the company is manager-managed. If so, list the names and business addresses of each manager				
	a.	Yno Gonzalez, Manager				
		Name 5850 West Las Positas Blvd.				
		Business Address				
			Pleasanton, California 94588			
		City	State	Zip Code		
	b.		William McCracken, Manager			
			Name			
			5850 West Las Positas Blvd.			
			Business Address			
			Pleasanton, CA 94588			
		City	State	Zip Code		
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			Signature  John di Bene, VP, G	en. Cnsl and Secretary  Capacity		
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#### **FILING INSTRUCTIONS**

- This application must be accompanied by an original certificate of existence not more than 30 days old (or a record of similar import) authenticated by the Secretary of State or other official having custody of the Limited Liability Company records in the state or country under which it is organized.
- 2. File two copies of these articles, the original and either a duplicate original or a conformed copy.
- If management of a limited liability company is vested in managers, a manager shall execute this form. If management of a limited liability company is reserved to the members, a member shall execute this form. Specify whether a member or manager is executing this form.
- 4. This form must be accompanied by the filing fee of \$110.00 payable to the Secretary of State.

Return to: Secretary of State P.O. Box 11350 Columbia, SC 29211

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Form Revised by South Carolina Secretary of State, January 2000

# SBC Long Distance, LLC

## MANAGERS

MANAGERS	BUSINESS OFFICE ADDRESS
Yno Gonzalez	5850 West Las Positas
Manager and President	Pleasanton, CA 94588
Bill McCracken	5850 West Las Positas
Manager and Comptroller	Pleasanton, CA 94588



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# The First State

I, HARRIET SMITH WINDSOR, SECRETARY OF STATE OF THE STATE OF DELAWARE, DO HEREBY CERTIFY "SBC LONG DISTANCE, LLC" IS DULY FORMED UNDER THE LAWS OF THE STATE OF DELAWARE AND IS IN GOOD STANDING AND HAS A LEGAL EXISTENCE SO FAR AS THE RECORDS OF THIS OFFICE SHOW, AS OF THE TWENTY-NINTH DAY OF APRIL, A.D. 2005.

AND I DO HEREBY FURTHER CERTIFY THAT THE ANNUAL REPORTS HAVE BEEN FILED TO DATE.

AND I DO HEREBY FURTHER CERTIFY THAT THE ANNUAL TAXES HAVE BEEN PAID TO DATE.



Harriet Smith Windson

Harriet Smith Windsor, Secretary of State **AUTHENTICATION:** 3846785

DATE: 04-29-05

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